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Montana Health Care Programs Notice

Physician, Mid-Level, Podiatrist, Lab and Imaging, Indian Health Service, Federally Qualified Health Center, Rural Health Clinic, and Independent Diagnostic Testing Facilities

Radiology Procedures and Medicaid Passport to Health Referrals

Radiology procedures will no longer be universally exempt from Medicaid Passport to Health referral requirements as of December 1, 2013. Some radiology procedures will require a referral from the member's Passport primary care provider. Radiology procedures performed when Place of Service is Inpatient (21) will not require Passport referral.

Passport to Health is Medicaid's primary care case management program in which one primary care provider coordinates the care of the Passport member.

Providers may check their fee schedule on the Provider Information website to see which procedures require Passport referral. The member's Passport primary care provider can be found on the Montana Access to Health web portal or by calling Provider Relations at 1.800.624.3958.

For detailed information on the Passport to Health program, including referrals, see the [Provider Guide](#), found on the Passport to Health page (<http://medicaidprovider.hhs.mt.gov/providerpages/passport.shtml>).

Contact Information

If you have any questions, please contact John Hoffland at 406.444.0991.

For claims questions or additional information, contact Provider Relations at 1.800.624.3958 (toll-free, in/out of state) or 406.442.1837 (Helena) or via e-mail at MTPRHelpdesk@xerox.com.

Visit the Provider Information website at <http://medicaidprovider.hhs.mt.gov>.